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SUBJ: SEISMIC RESEARCH OBSERVATORIES (SRO) PROGRAM

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1. USGS IS PREPARING LETTER TO SIDDIQI EXPLAINING DETAILS OF SRO PROGRAM AND PRINCIPLES OF COOPERATION. LETTER WILL BE TRANSMITTED VIA EMBASSY.
2. JON PETERSON, U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, ALBUQUERQUE SEISMOLOGICAL LABORATORY PLANS TO VISIT PAKISTAN IN AUGUST. HIS ITINERARY, WHICH INCLUDES STOPS IN OTHER COUNTRIES, WILL BE SENT IN NER FUTURE. PETERSON WILL PLAN STOPS IN ISLAMABAD TO BRIEF EMBASSY OFFICERS ON PROGRAM AND GOP OFFICIALS IF EMBASSY DEEMS IT APPROPRIATE.
3. USGS CONCERNED BY NECESSITY FOR CLEARANCES MENTIONED IN PARA 2 OF REFTEL. PROJECT REQUIRES FREQUENT VISITS BY U.S. PERSONNEL DURING SITE PREPARATION AND INSTALLATION. AFTER INSTALLATION, VISITS MUST BE MADE ON SHORT NOTICE (SEVERAL DAYS) TO SERVICE EQUIPMENT IF PROBLEMS OCCUR. OTHER MATTER UNCLASSIFIED

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OF CONCERN IS GETTING SRO EQUIPMENT INTO COUNTRY AND TEST EQUIPMENT IN AND OUT OF COUNTRY. USGS WOULD APPRECIATE ADVICE IF EMBASSY FORESEES ANY SPECIAL DIFFICULTIES WITH CLEARANCES OR CUSTOMS. KISSINGER

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